U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg

Command Information Channel



Produced by the Bamberg Public Affairs Office
DSN:469-2000



Ray's Diner



Come Celebrate Christmas with Us!

25 December 2005
1530-1730



On the Menu



T-Bone Steak **Lobster Tails**
Roast Turkey **Buttered Noodles**
Savory Bread Dressing **Corn on the Cob**
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Seasoned Mixed Vegetables



Limited Quantities. First Come, First Serve!

Christmas Supper

Warning about Fake Bills

Army officials warn Bamberg housing residents to be on the lookout for sham invoices claiming that the bill should be paid for sewage

The letter comes from a firm called "HaPo Rohr und Kanalreinigung," and The amount of the bill is approx. 180 Euros.



HaPo GmbH
Rohr- und Kanalreinigung

Spezialbetrieb für Spülung, Reinigung, Analyse, Entsorgung, mit Umweltlabor im Abwasserverband

Hauptverwaltung

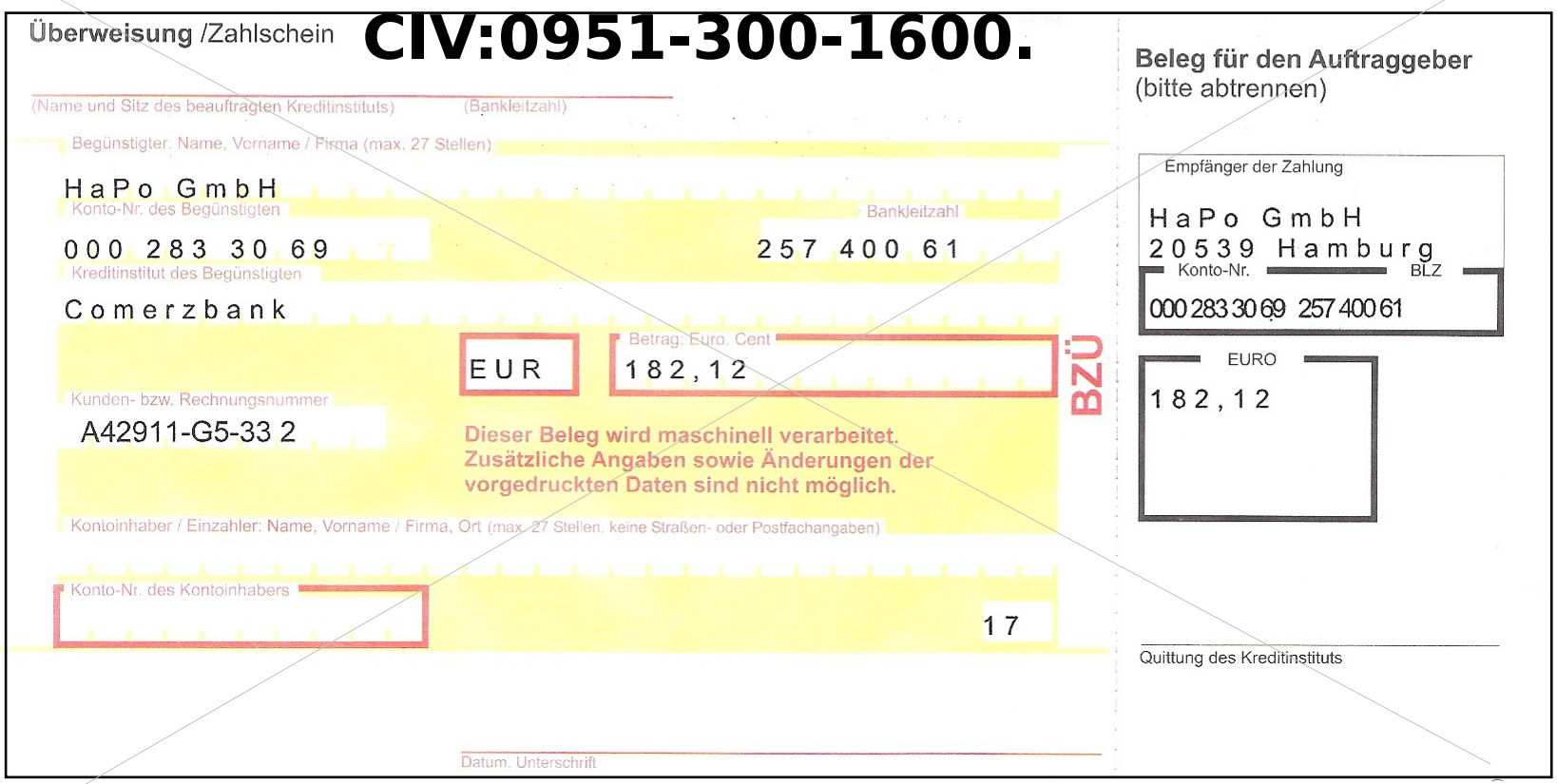
HaPo GmbH
Harburger Str. 15
20539 Hamburg
Tel.: 040 66 00 200
Fax: 040 66 00 220

Amtsgericht Hamburg
HRA 101 131
Finanzamt DE 118 509856

Warning about Fake Bills

People who receive such a letter should contact the USAG Bamberg Public Affairs Office at DSN:469-1600 or CIV:0951-300-1600.

THIS IS FAKE



Überweisung /Zahlschein

(Name und Sitz des beauftragten Kreditinstituts) (Bankleitzahl)

Begünstigter: Name, Vorname / Firma (max. 27 Stellen)

HaPo GmbH

Konto-Nr. des Begünstigten — Bankleitzahl

000 283 30 69 — 257 400 61

Kreditinstitut des Begünstigten

Comerzbank

EUR — Betrag: Euro, Cent — 182,12

BZÜ

Kunden- bzw. Rechnungsnummer

A42911-G5-33 2

Dieser Beleg wird maschinell verarbeitet. Zusätzliche Angaben sowie Änderungen der vorgedruckten Daten sind nicht möglich.

Kontoinhaber / Einzahler: Name, Vorname / Firma, Ort (max. 27 Stellen, keine Straßen- oder Postfachangaben)

Konto-Nr. des Kontoinhabers

17

Datum, Unterschrift

Beleg für den Auftraggeber
(bitte abtrennen)

Empfänger der Zahlung

HaPo GmbH
20539 Hamburg

Konto-Nr. — BLZ

000 283 30 69 257 400 61

EURO

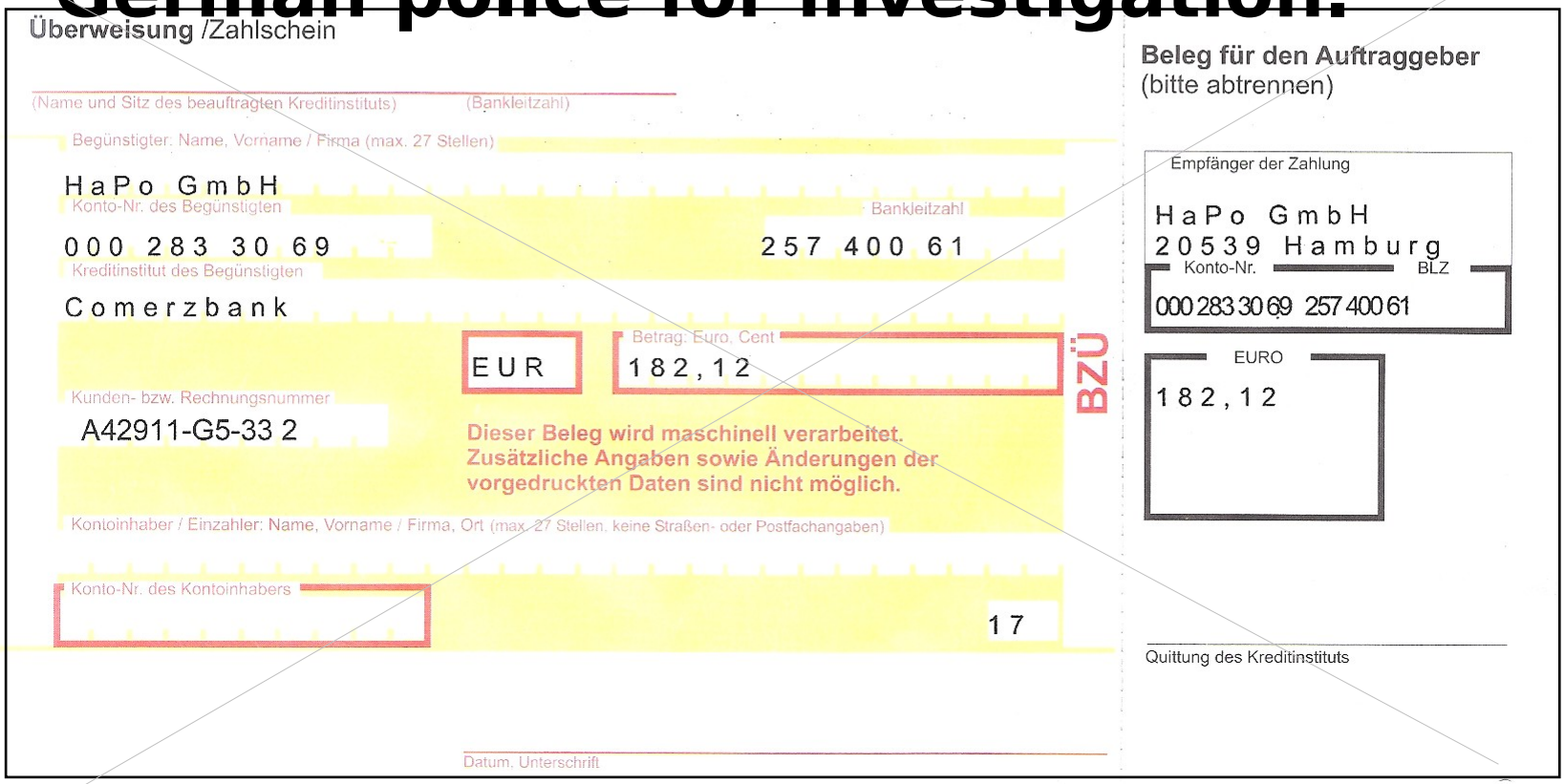
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Quittung des Kreditinstituts

Warning about Fake Bills

The letters will be forwarded to the Bamberg German police for investigation.

THIS IS FAKE




MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR
FROM DMT-1

AAFES Presents...



DECEMBER

MOVIE SCHEDULE





Into the Blue
Rated PG-13

Sun. Dec 18 –7 p.m.

Thur. Dec 22 – 7 p.m.

Schedule can also be found at www.bamberg.army.mil



History of Violence
Rated R

Fri. Dec 23– 7 p.m.

Thur. Dec 29– 7 p.m.

Schedule can also be found at www.bamberg.army.mil



Wallace & Gromit:

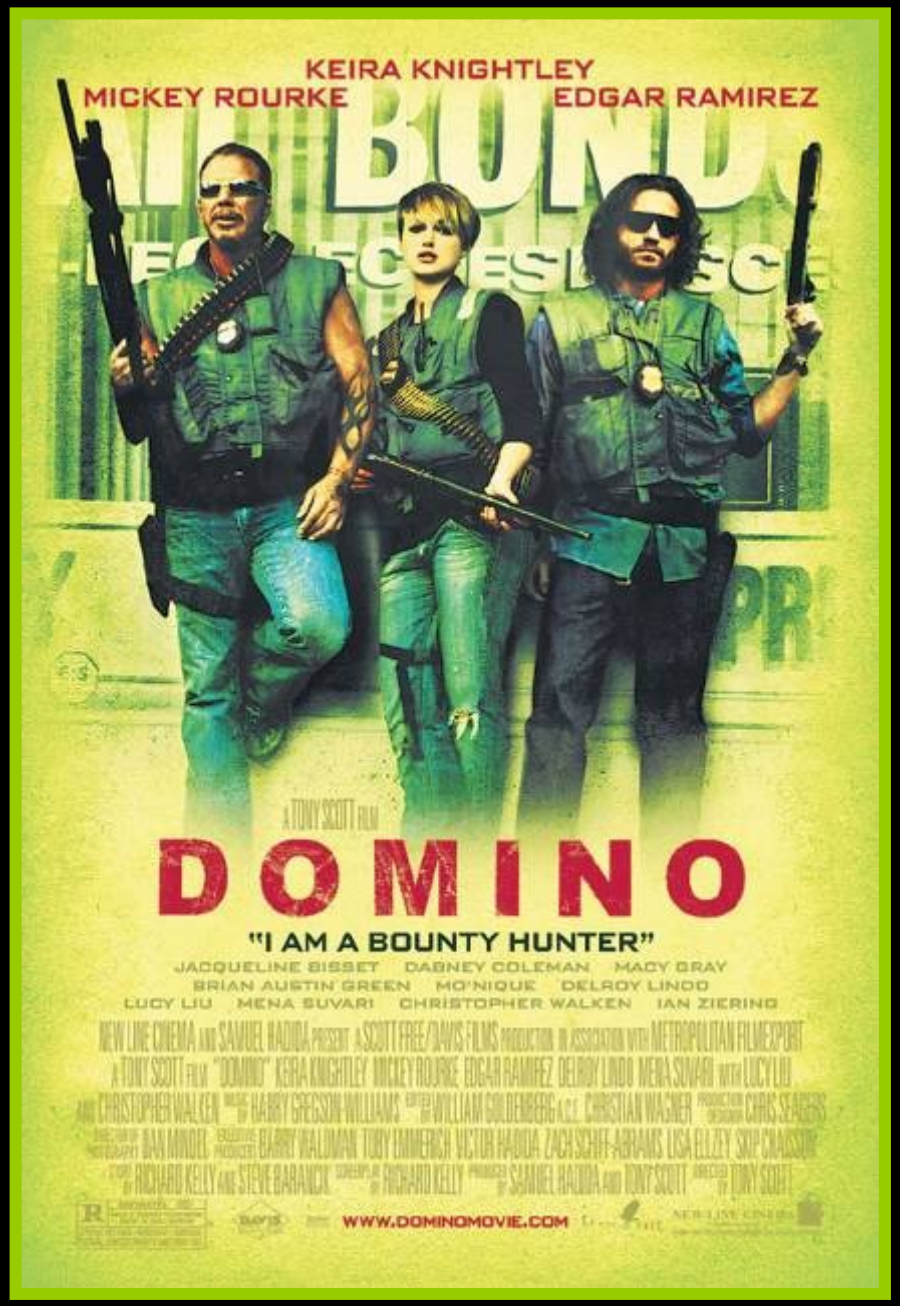
The Curse of the Were-Rabbit

Rated G

Sat. Dec 24– 4 p.m.

Sun. Dec 25– 4 p.m.

Schedule can also be found at www.bamberg.army.mil



Domino
Rated R

Sun. Dec 25– 7 p.m.

Schedule can also be found at www.bamberg.army.mil



Aeon Flux
Rated PG-13

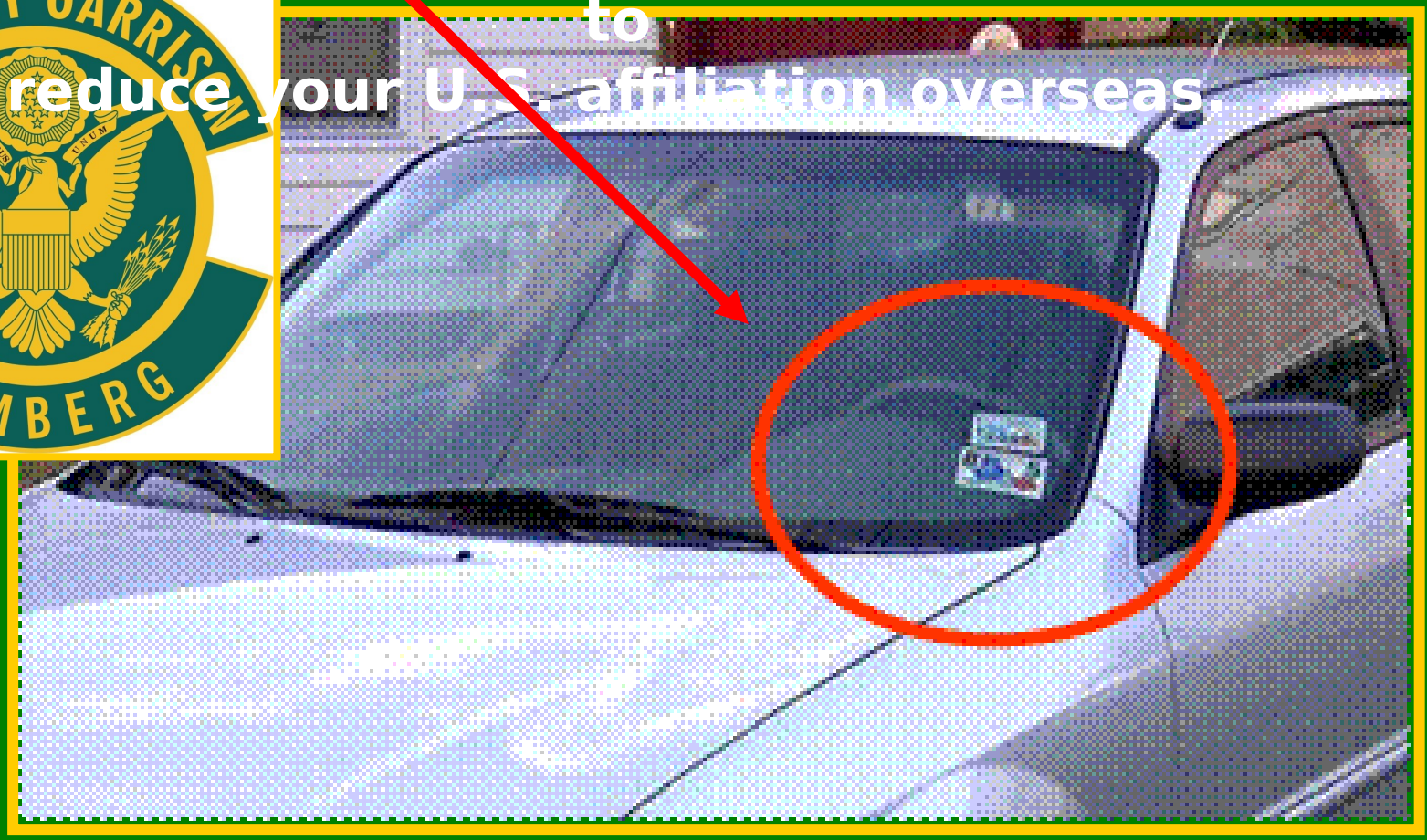
Sat. Dec 24– 7 p.m.

Mon. Dec 26– 7 p.m.

Schedule can also be found at www.bamberg.army.mil

Attention USAG Bamberg vehicle owners….

For force protection reasons, please remember to remove
old duty station and stateside windshield stickers to
reduce your U.S. affiliation overseas.



Effective Jan. 8, 2006







U.S.P.S. Rate Increase

The price of a First-Class stamp will increase on January 8, 2006.

From .37 cents to .39 cents.

For a complete list of the selected rate changes log

Extended Holiday Hours



Bamberg Post Office Holiday Hours

No finance Lobby Service on Dec. 24 and 31

CLOSED on American Holidays



There will be

NO HOSPITAL SHUTTLE SERVICE

to Würzburg
on Friday, Dec. 23



There will be

NO AIRPORT SHUTTLE SERVICE

to Nürnberg

Dec. 20 to Jan. 6



Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
High School Essay Contest

Service CREDIT UNION

1st Place Prize is a $50 Savings Bond Courtesy of Service Credit Union and various prizes by Bamberg MWR.

Theme:

"What Impact did Rosa Parks have on the Civil Rights Movement?"

All essays are due by Fri. Jan 6, to Ms. Brandon

Winners will be announced on Thur. Jan 12 at the BHS Auditorium during the MLK Observance.

Contact: BJ Holman for more information at DSN:469-7898



Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
BES Poster Contest

Theme:

"Celebrating Black History Month"

All posters are due by <u>Sun. Jan 8</u>, to Mr. Andy Wilkins

Winners will be announced on Thur. Jan 12 at the BHS Auditorium during the MLK Observance.

Contact: BJ Holman for more information at DSN:469-7898

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Ski & Snowboard Rentals



Stop by the CAC and check it out!!

0951-300-8659



Need a Santa Suit?

Stop by the CAC and reserve one today!!

U.S. ARMY MWR FOR ALL OF YOUR LIFE

0951-300-8659



Matting and Framing Class

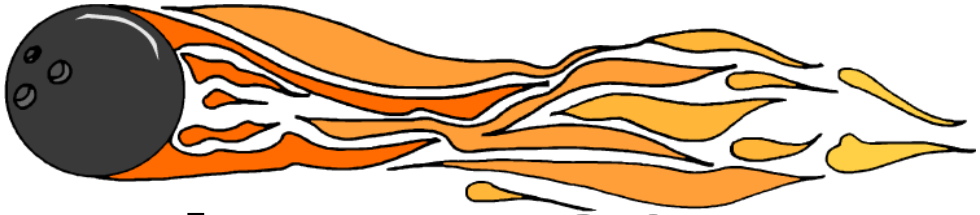
Thur. Dec 22 at 6 p.m.

Sign up at the CAC today! Call Tom at DSN:469-8659

MWR
FOR ALL OF YOUR LIFE

Bowling Center

Pre-New Years Party



Fri, Dec. 30
6 p.m.
$10 Admission / $5 children
Includes all bowling and shoe rental



0951-300-7722

MWR
FOR ALL OF YOUR LIFE

Bowling Center



Teen Rockin' New Year's Party

Sat, Dec. 31
7 p.m. - midnight
Open to 6th-12th Graders
$10 Admission includes all bowling and shoe rental

0951-300-7722

CYS Bowling



Open for Ages: **9- 18**

Cost: **$30**

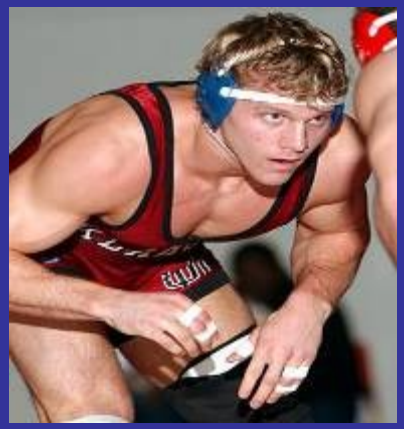
Registration is open till 6 Jan

Season Starts: **Jan 11th 2006**

Sign up at Central Registration!

For more info call 469-7716

CYS Wrestling



Open for Ages: **8- 15**

Cost: **$60**

Registration is open till 15 Jan

Season Starts: **Feb 25th 2006**

Sign up at Central Registration

For more info call DSN:469-

Holiday Brunch

Warner Club



Sunday, Dec 18
10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

$13.90 adults
$7.50 children 11 and under. Children under 4 years are free.

Reserve your seat!

CIV: 0951-300-7596

New Year's Eve Ball

Warner Club

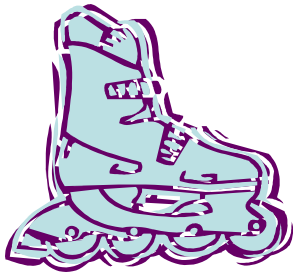
Sat. December 31, 8:30 p.m. advance tickets for $35 at the Warner Club, $40 at the door. Informal dress code.



CIV: 0951-300-7596

Community Skate Nights

are back at the Roller Realm!



Jan 14 & 28



3-7 p.m. for all community members
7-10 p.m. for youth in grades 6-12
$4 admission, $1 skate rental
Ages 3 and under are FREE!

U.S. Army Child & Youth Services

SKIES Unlimited

Schools of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration & Skills

U.S. ARMY MWR FOR ALL OF YOUR LIFE



COMMUNITY LIBRARY STORY HOURS

Pre-School Story Hour
Thursdays 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sleepy Time Story Hour
Tuesdays 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Open to Children 3 - 5 years
Call Library at DSN 469-1720



Pilates is a body workout for your body and mind.



Pilates Classes

are back!

Tuesdays 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Call the CAC DSN:469-8659



Aerobics / Fitness Classes

Mondays, 10 a.m.- Body Workout
Thursday, 10 a.m. – PUMP

All 1 hour Classes are At Freedom Fitness Facility
$3 per session
Instructor is Kathrin Buchanan
Call Michelle McGaughey,

CARDIO KICK FITNESS



NEW!

Cardio Kick Classes

<u>Every Tuesday</u>

at 10 a.m. in the Freedom Fitness Facility!

NEW!

Cost is $3 per class

DSN:469-8659

CIV:0951-300-8659

Child Development Services is offering



Hourly Child Care

Mondays - Fridays 8 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. and Tuesdays 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

$4.00 per hour

at Central Enrollment & Registration Building 7340.

A one-time Orientation is required and offered every Wednesday 1–2 p.m.



Ranks E-4 and below receive 10 free hours of care per month per child.

Contact Jason Etchell at DSN:469-8789 or CIV:0951-300-8789.

This Holiday Season…

Candle With Care



The following are some tips to keep our family and home safe from fires started by candles…



This Holiday Season...

Candle With Care

- **Keep candles away from decorations or other combustible materials.**
- **Never display lighted candles in windows or near exits.**
- **Don't leave children unattended in a room with lit candles.**

For more information log-on to the National Fire Protection Association at www.nfpa.org



This Holiday Season...
Candle With Care

- **Keep candles, matches and lighters, out of the reach of children.**
- **Never use candles to decorate trees/bushes.**
- **Avoid using candles during parties.**

For more information log-on to the National Fire Protection Association at www.nfpa.org



U.S.A.G. Bamberg After Hours Emergency Numbers

MP	0951-300-114
Medical Services	0951-300-116
Poison Control	06371-86-7070
German Poison Control	06841-162257/162846
Fire Department	0951-300-117
German Ambulance	0951-19222
German Polizei	110
USAG Bamberg Staff Duty Officer	0951-300-7492



U.S.A.G. Bamberg After Hours Emergency Numbers

Chaplain	0951-300-7492
American Red Cross	0951-300-7785
USAG Bamberg Staff Duty Officer	0951-300-7492
DPW Work Orders	0951-300-5000
Road Conditions	09841-83-4590
Fraud, Waste, Abuse Hotline	09721-964800
Wuerzburg Military Emergency Room	0931-804-3700 / 3877



U.S.A.G. Bamberg After Hours Emergency Numbers

Wuerzburg Hospital Information Line	0130-860026
Military Operator	0951-300-113
ACS Information & Referral	0951-300-7777
	0951-300-119
DSN Telephone Repair	01171
Civilian Telephone Repair (Telekom)	



U.S.A.G. Bamberg After Hours Emergency Numbers

Wuerzburg Hospital Information	0931-804-3666
ADAC	01805 101112
Information (Bamberg)	11833
Information (English Service)	11837
Information (International)	11834
Overseas Operator	0010

English as a Second Language

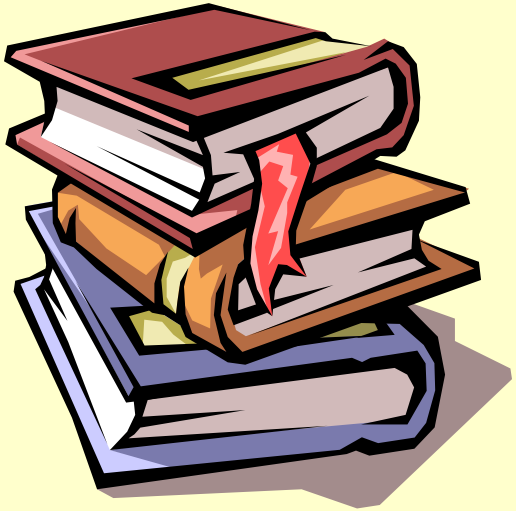
We offer three levels of classes to learn to speak, read, write and understand English.

Classes meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 305 of the Education Center.

7:30 - 9:30 a.m. Beginning

9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Intermediate

1 - 3 p.m. Advanced



Call ACS at DSN:469-7777 CIV:0951-300-7777 at CIV:0951-299-5315

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE
ACS
Real-Life Solutions for Successful Army Living

NPESP

New Parent Education & Support



Helping parents because children don't come with instructions.

- **Personal Home Visits**
- **Office Visits**
- **Parental Group Support**
- **Classes**

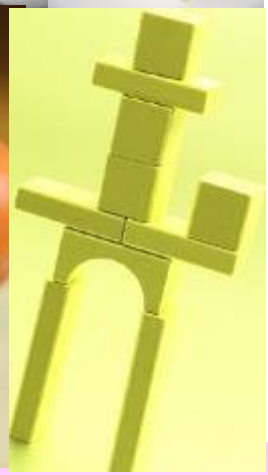
To register or for more information call ACS at DSN:469-7777 or CIV:0951-300-7777

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE
ACS
Real-Life Solutions for Successful Army Living

Playgroup

New Parent Education & Support



Every Friday Morning
10-11:30 a.m.

Infants & toddlers ages
0-3 years old.

To register or for more information call ACS at DSN:469-7777 or CIV:0951-300-7777



Be Prepared!

Call the new 24/7 Weather Line DSN:469-8373

...for current weather and road conditions
plus a 48 hour forecast!
Information updated as conditions change!
The Weather Line is serviced by the Bamberg Emergency Operations Center

Road Condition Colors Defined

When the road conditions are GREEN you are advised to drive normally.



What does GREEN mean?

Road surface: ***Dry***

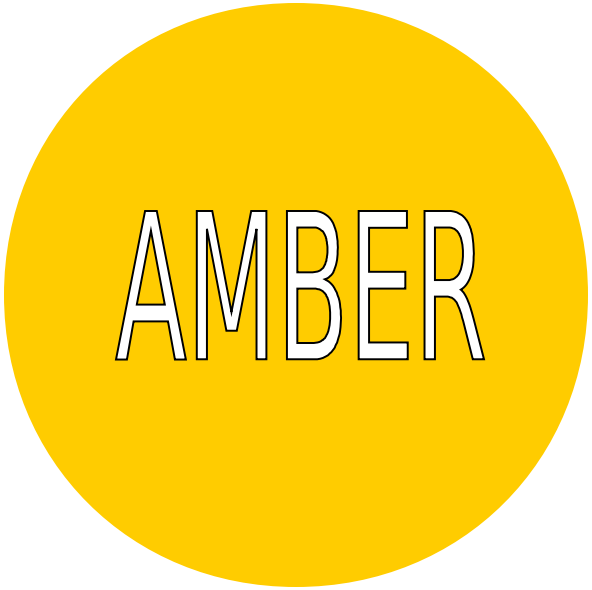
Snow Amount: ***None or Blowing Powder***

Snow Depth: ***None***

Ice Amount: ***None***

Road Condition Colors Defined

When the road conditions are AMBER you are advised to drive with caution, black ice is possible, winter tires recommended



What does AMBER mean?

Road surface: ***Wet, possibly icy***

Snow Amount: ***Packed slush***

Snow Depth: ***Less than 4 in.***

Ice Amount: ***Patches of***

Road Condition Colors Defined

When the road conditions are RED you are advised *to drive with extreme caution*, use winter tires, wait for weather to clear

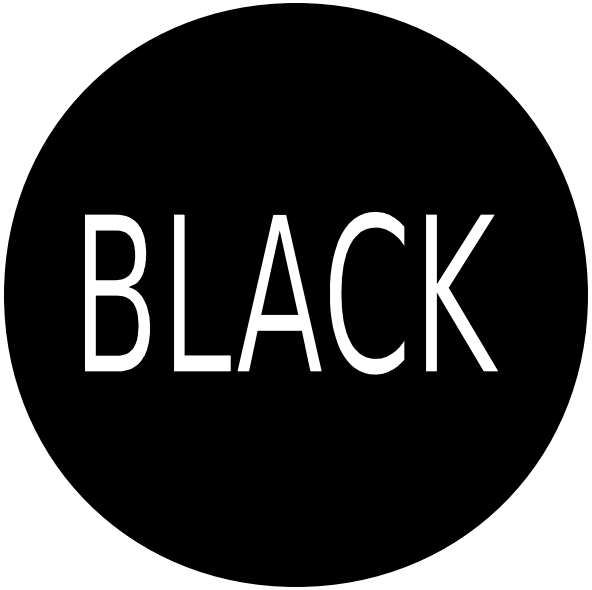


What does RED mean?

Road surface:	***Heavy snowfall, dangerous driving conditions***
Snow Amount:	***Drifting***
Snow Depth:	***4 to 8 inches***
Ice Amount:	***Sheet Ice***

Road Condition Colors Defined

When the road conditions are BLACK you are advised to NOT DRIVE!
Emergency Travel Only / Use Chains



What does BLACK mean?

Road surface: ***Extremely Dangerous Driving Conditions***

Snow Amount: ***Heavy Drifting***

Snow Depth: ***More than 8 in.***

Current Force Protection Condition:

BRAVO

Stay Alert
Report Suspicious Activity
Avoid Demonstrations

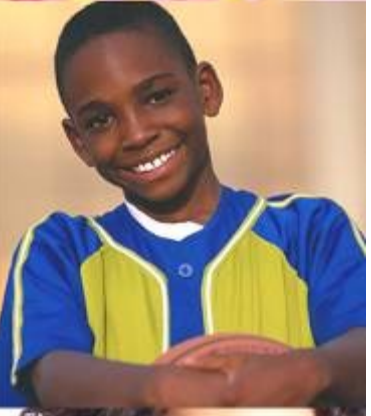
Visit www.travel.state.gov for travel warning information before making travel arrangements.



WORKING TOGETHER TO KEEP KIDS SAFE

From the staff at U.S. Army Garrison Bamberg







If you see unattended children please contact the parents directly to ensure the safety and supervision of all Bamberg children. If parents cannot be located, please call the MP's

DSN:469-8700 / 7770 or
CIV:0951-300-8700 / 77

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

Safety Tips for the Holiday Season!



Common Holiday Plants that are Poisonous!

The Poinsettia is toxic. Ingestion or contact can cause irritations (vomiting, diarrhea, or skin rashes) Seek medical attention.

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

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Common Holiday Plants that are Poisonous!

Mistletoe is toxic. All parts *(especially the berries)* are poisonous and cause a variety of symptoms to include heart problems. Seek medical attention if more than 3 berries have been eaten.

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Common Holiday Plants that are Poisonous!

Holly is toxic. Eating a small number of berries causes gastritis and possibly drowsiness. Eating a large number of berries may require medical treatment.

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

Common Holiday Plants that are Poisonous



Most calls received by poison-control centers involve children under 6 years.

Teach children not to put any parts of plants into their mouths.

Keep toxic plants out of reach of young children.

Call LRMC's poison-control center (486-7070/8160/8415) for emergencies.

NEVER FOR A MINUTE!
Child & Car Safety






Never leave your child in a car unattended. Leaving children alone within a car is a ***neglectful action*** and considered a form of child abuse & neglect. Review the USAG-Bamberg Child Supervision Policy re:children & cars

In case of emergency: Fire, Rescue and Police

Call DSN:114

CIV: 0951-300 114

Community Chapel Programs





Christmas Worship Services
Warner Barracks Chapel

Sat. Dec 24

5 p.m. Protestant
Candle Light Service

7 p.m. Catholic Vigil Mass

9 p.m. Spanish Protestant
Christmas Eve Service
at the *High School*



New Year's Worship Services
Warner Barracks Chapel

Sat. Dec 31

9 p.m. Spanish Protestant Service at High School

10 p.m. Free Gospel Service at Preston Hall

10:30 p.m. Church of God In Christ Service at the Chapel

Protestant Women of the Chapel



Please join us every Wednesday from 9 - 11:30 a.m. at the Chapel for food, fellowship and Bible study.

Free childcare is available. For more information, please call CIV:0951-209-7686

Protestant Women of the Chapel

PWOC is a body of women who meet weekly for Bible study, fellowship, and fun. We strive to live for God. We delight to study His Word. We seek to do His will. We want to share all His love.

For more information, please call CIV 095-209-7686

eARMYU.COM

Education. Front and Center.



Interested in learnin about the eARMYU *Program?*

Then attend an informative briefing at the education center. Briefings are held at the Bamberg Army Education Center, Bldg. 7047. (3rd floor, Room 314) Every Wednesday at noon.

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

Holiday Decoration Safety



- If you use a real tree, supply the base of the tree with water to avoid premature dryness.
- Do not use real candles on the tree.
- Keep fire extinguisher handy.
- Use grounded extension cords

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

Holiday Decoration Safety



- **Use UL listed decorations!**
- **Inspect cords for fraying & loose connection.**
- **Do not use indoor extension cords outside.**

U.S.A.G. Bamberg Safety Office Presents:

Holiday Decoration Safety



- Use proper ladders when decorating elevated places.
  Do not use a chair when a ladder is needed!
- Place candles away from curtains/flammables.
- Unplug your decorations/lights when you go to bed

Don't Drink and Drive!





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...for current weather and road conditions
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Information updated as conditions change!
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DECEMBER
PROGRAMS & SERVICES

American Red Cross

Have a group of six or more that would like to take a CPR Class? Contact our office and we will work with you to schedule it! Certification expiring soon? Contact us for information on renewals!

Contact the Bamberg Station Red Cross Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

DSN: 469-1760/7785 or CIV:0951-300-1760

Volunteer Bears!



American Red Cross

Great stocking Stuffer!



Volunteer Bears!

American Red Cross

The Bamberg Red Cross is selling Volunteer Bears for only $5! They make great stocking stuffers!

Support your Red Cross and give one as a gift today! Available now at the ACS Bldg, Room 118.

Call DSN:469-1760

Great stocking Stuffer!



Capo-di-Monte

American Red Cross

The Bamberg Red Cross is selling beautiful porcelain roses from Italy.

Available now at the ACS Bldg, Room 118. Prices range from $5 to $25. Give a gift that will become a family heirloom and support your Red Cross!

Makes a great gift!



Call the Bamberg Red Cross
DSN:469-1760

Girl Scouts
Where Girls Grow Strong℠



Be a Junior Girl Scout!

The Hamberg Junior Girl Scouts are looking for members!
Open to girls in grades 4th and 5th.

Call
0176-296-23852 to join!

Girl Scouts
Where Girls Grow Strong℠



Be a Junior Girl Scout!

Troops meet every Tuesday!

Troop #210 from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

Troop #164 from 5 to 6:30 p.m.

Call 0176-296-23852 to join!

DECEMBER

Holiday Events Calendar

Fri. Dec 23	Sat. Dec 24
	

Patriot Family

A PLACE TO SHARE



The *Patriot Family Connection* gives family members and friend of deployed service members a chance to record their greetings, words of support and thanks FRE of charge. Messages can be recorded 24 hrs a day and are forwarded to American Forces Radio (AFN), which is heard in OEF/OIF and overseas.

Call the toll-free *Patriot Family Connection* at:

1-800-713-1302 or for more information go to